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TO AMEMBASSY BRASILIA

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TAGS: PFOR, BR

SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE

1. PLEASE DELIVER FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT NIXON  
TO PRESIDENT MEDICI:

QUOTE DEAR MR. PRESIDENT:

I DEEPLY APPRECIATE YOUR THOUGHTFUL MESSAGE OF CON-  
DOLENCE ON THE TRAGIC DEATHS OF AMBASSADOR CLEO A NOEL, JR.,  
AND MR. GEORGE C. MOORE.

I BELIEVE WE COULD BEST PAY TRIBUTE TO THE MEMORY OF  
THESE BRAVE MEN BY CONSTRUCTING AN EFFECTIVE INTERNATIONAL  
FRAMEWORK FOR THE ELIMINATION OF SUCH WANTON TERRORISM. I  
HOPE THAT YOU SHARE MY VIEW AND THAT WE CAN WORK TOGETHER  
TO ACHIEVE THIS END.

SINCERELY, RICHARD NIXON UNQUOTE

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OBJECTION TO RELEASE BY RECIPIENT. PLEASE INFORM DEPART-  
MENT IF TEXT RELEASED.

2. FOR POST' S INFORMATION, FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF MEDICI' S  
MESSAGE: QUOTE STILL UNDER THE SHOCKING IMPRESSION OF THE  
BRUTAL TERRORIST ACTION WHICH TOOK THE LIVES OF AMBASSADOR  
CLEO NOEL AND HIS DEPUTY CURTISS MOORE I CONVEY TO YOU,  
MR. PRESIDENT, THE DEEPEST REGRETS OF ALL THE BRAZILIAN  
NATION. UNQUOTE

3. DECONTROL ON DELIVERY OF PRESIDENT' S MESSAGE. ROGERS

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\*\*\* Current Classification \*\*\* LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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